## COMBINED DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

This declaration is of the following type:

[x] original	•	
<ul> <li>substitute</li> <li>design</li> <li>supplemental</li> <li>national stage of PCT</li> <li>divisional</li> <li>continuation</li> <li>continuation-in-part (CIP)</li> </ul>		
My residence, post office addres	ss and citizenship are as stated next to m	ıy name.
or an original, first and joint in	and sole inventor (if only one name is listed belowed for and for which a patent is sought	v) of the
The specification of which:		
x] is attached hereto		
was amended on	as Application Serial No	and
l was described and claimed i		
Application No.		
and as amended under F		
	(if any).	

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any Amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Sec. 1.56.

[ ] In compliance with this duty there is attached an information disclosure statement. 37 CFR 1.97.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, Sec. 119, of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

[ ] no such applications have been filed

[x] such applications have been filed as follows.

Prior Foreign Application(s)		Priority Claimed		
2000-381444	Japan	15/12/ 00	[x]	[ ]
(Number)	(Country)	(day/month/year filed)	Yes	No

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, Sec. 120, of any United States application(s) listed below, and insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, Sec. 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose all information known to be material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Sec. 1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

(Application Serial No.) (Filing Date) (patented, pending, abandoned)

I hereby claim priority based on U.S. Provisional Application Serial Number filed \_\_\_\_\_\_.

POWER OF ATTORNEY: As a named inventor, I hereby appoint the following attorney(s) and/or agents to prosecute this application and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

## George A. Loud, Reg. No. 25,814 Anthony M. Lorusso, Reg. No. 25,059

Sena correspondence to-	Direct Telephone calls to:	
LORUSSO & LOUD		
3137 Mt. Vernon Avenue	George A. Loud	•
Alexandria VA 22305	(703) 739 - 9393	
I hereby declare all statements made here that all statements made on information further that these statements were ma statements and the like so made are punis under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United statements may jeopardize the validity of thereon.	and belief are believed to be de with knowledge that wi hable by fine or imprisonmen I States Code and that such w	true; and llful false t, or both, illful false
Full name of first or sole inventor: Teruc	MASUDA	
Inventor's signature: <u>Jerno M</u>	asvola 05/07/01	(Date)
Residence: c/o NMB Electro Precision, Inc.,	( Julv)	
5-8-4 Ogi-machi, Miyagino-ku, S	Sendai-shi, Miyagi-ken, Japa	<u>n_</u>
Citizenship: Japan		

Post Office Address: Same as above